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7 FITNESS ANYWHERE, INC.,
8 Plaintiffs,

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10 No. C 09-4815 RS

11 v.
12 STANLEY YAN., et al.,
13 Defendants.

14 _____ / **ORDER RE: ATTENDANCE**

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16 Session Date: June 10, 2010
17 Mediator: James Gilliland

18 Before the court is defendant's request to excuse defendant Client Sports, Inc.'s
19 representative, Gary Briden, from personally attending the June 10, 2010 mediation before James
20 Gilliland. The request cites travel and lodging expenses and closing his business for several days as
21 justification. As travel expenses are not considered 'extraordinary or otherwise unjustifiable
hardship' under ADR L.R. 6-10(d), and the request does not explain what the financial impact of the
business closure would be, the request is DENIED without prejudice.

22 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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25 June 3, 2010
26 Dated

By:

Elizabeth D. Laporte
Elizabeth D. Laporte
United States Magistrate Judge